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OUTLINES.

Twelve persons were killed and about eighty injured by the explosion of fireworks in Madison Square Garden, New York city, Thuesday evening; seven legs of victims were amputated at Bellevue hospital; some lost both hands. —— President Roosevelt has returned to Washington. —— Returns from New Jersey show Democratic gains. —— Democrats elected the Governor and Lieutenant Governor in Rhode Island; the rest of the State ticket is Republican. —— The Census Bureau reports 60 per cent. of the cotton crop ginned up to Oct. 18th. —— Leon L. Strausse, leaf tobacco dealer, Richmond, Va., failed with liabilities $300,599. —— Alan G. Mason, arrested in Boston, Mass., on the charge of murder, is held for further examination. —— Trial of Roland B. Molineux was resumed yesterday. —— Stockholders of the L. & N. railroad held their annual meeting yesterday. —— Odell's plurality for Governor of New York, unofficial, is 10,798; but the Democrats refuse to concede defeat; a contest, it is said, will be made in the courts. —— H. W. Fries, of Salem, N. C, died yesterday, aged 77 years; his estate is valued at $1,000,000. —— Rev. W. C. Rabe, pastor of the German Baptist church at Omaha, and Augusta Busch, a missionary, were found dead clasped in each other's arms in the pastor's study. —— The next House of Representatives will be controlled by the Republicans. —— Three men were killed in a street fight at Orange, Texas. —— Mrs. Carrie Nation was slightly hurt in a railroad wreck near Newark, N.J.; some fifteen people altogether were seriously hurt. —— New York markets: Money on call was firm at 4½@6 per cent; cotton dull at 8.50c; flour was easier; wheat—spot steady, No.2 red 77c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 64¾c; rosin firm; spirits turpentine firm at 55@55¼c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WASHINGTON, N. C., Nov. 5.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 60 degrees; 8 P. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 52 degrees; mean, 63 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .00.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—For North Carolina—Rain, followed by fair Thursday with cooler in western portion; Friday, fair; fresh south winds, becoming west.

Port Almanac--November 6.

Sun Rises	6.27 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.00 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 33 M.
High Water at Southport	12.00 M.
High Water Wilmington	2.30 A. M.

New York city will pay out this year $1,000,000 in pensions to retired policemen.

The Board of Health in Chicago advises the people there to boil their drinking water. Good advice. But maybe they don't like soup as a regular beverage.

The Grand Duke Paul Alexandravich, youngest uncle of the Czar of Russia's has been banished from the Army. He cut too wide a swath for even the royal family.

A Denver preacher who knows his people pretty well says they "are not expected to keep the ten commandments." If they keep two or three of them they are doing pretty well.

Although there isn't much use for any Republican party in Alabama, there are two there, known repectively as the "lily whites" (white washed) and "lamp blacks" (natural color).

President Roosevelt has declined the invitation of the Governor of Mississippi to go down and join him in a canebrake bear hunt. Now those bears might as well be turned loose.

A Minneapolis foot-ball team is proud of seventeen year old kid who weighs 280 pounds, and can smash the ambition out of any fellow who happens to get under him. He's solid with the team.

A colored society known as "The Brothers and Sisters of Honor of the World" are agitating for a pension for ex-slaves. But they won't have Congressman Blackburn in Congress to help 'em out.

We have heard of people "whistling to keep their courage up," but there is a man in Brooklyn, N. Y., who whistles to keep his health. He says a good whistle is better than the stuffing of a whole apothecary shop.

A Berlin paper says Sarah Bernhardt is a German, but that she is ashamed of the fatherland. We don't know about that, but there is nothing French or Frenchy about Bernhardt. It has a decidedly Germans smack.

FOR HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

White Tramp Knocked Down Aged Citizen and Took His Money—Arrested and Locked Up.

George Hogan, a white tramp who drifted in with the Carnival train Sunday, was arrested last night and locked up at the station house for highway robbery.

Yesterday evening at 6:30 o'clock, just as it became dark, Hogan enticed Mr. Benjamin L. Branch, an aged citizen of Wilmington, knocked him down between some box cars on the Carolina Central railroad yards and robbed him of his pocket book, containing 85 cents in money. A man, whose identity will not be disclosed, saw the act and arrested the tramp. He was turned over to a policeman, and when searched at the police station the pocket book and money was found on his person. He confessed the robbery. He said he had been in Wilmington three weeks, but it is known that the same man was in Raleigh.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Mrs. Sallie Ricaud Farrior, of Kenansville, is visiting Mrs. Joe Shepard.

— The N. C. Sorosis will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock at its club room.

— The Dorcas Society will meet at 3:30 P. M. to-day in the Luther Memorial Building, Sixth and Princess streets.

— Dr. T. M. Hunter, a well known dentist of Fayetteville, died at 6 A. M. yesterday, aged 44 years. Deceased leaves a wife and two sons.

— Miss Fannie Earp and Mr. Geo. F. Cumber were quietly married on Tuesday night by Justice George W. Bornemann. Both are residents of this city.

— News reached the city yesterday of the death at Armour, N. C., of Mrs. Augustus Wehrhahn, wife of a prominent citizen of that community. The funeral will take place to day.

— The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at 3:30 P. M. to-day. A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chamber will be held to-day noon.

— Mr. P. S. Honeyman, of Riverton, N. J., a golf expert who spent several months in Wilmington last season, has been engaged by the Cape Fear Golf Club to instruct members again this Fall.

— General Passenger Agent W. C. Ryan, of the Seaboard Air Line, who was in the city this week on official business, expressed himself favorably in regard to putting on a night train from Wilmington to Hamlet, thereby improving the passenger service.

NOTES OF THE LOCAL SHIPPING.

Arrivals and Departures of Vessels From Wilmington's Port.

British schooner *Leonard Parker*, Capt. Hogan, arrived yesterday from Bermuda for cargo of lumber from the Chadbourn Lumber Co.

Schooner *Edgar C. Ross*, 380 tons, Capt. Quinlan, with cargo from Brunswick, Ga., to Baltimore, is anchored off the bar at Southport. She arrived Tuesday evening.

Schooner *Bessie C. Beach* sailed yesterday for New York with cargo from the Cape Fear Lumber Co. Schooner *City of Baltimore* cleared yesterday with cargo of rough and dressed lumber, consigned by the Kidder Lumber Co., to Port-au-Spain, Trinidad.

The First Baptist Church.

Dr. Blackwell, the pastor, took up from the First Baptist church a very encouraging associational letter to the Association now in session at Long Creek church. Present membership 466. Received during the year, by baptism, 23; by letter, 21. All departments of the church, Sunday-school, ladies' organizations and young people's, the grand total of $3,909.61 was raised as follows during the associational year. Pastor's salary and incidental expenses, $2,366.10; music and books, $325; State missions, $231.42; orphanage, $43.78; home missions, $68.92; foreign missions, $80.34; education, $100; evangelist and supply, $170; aged ministers, $5; church improvements, carpets, &c., $225.

Laid to Rest Yesterday.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mamie C. Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hurst, of this city, arrived at 1:45 P. M. yesterday from Apalachicols, Fla., where she passed away on Sunday, and were tenderly laid to rest in Bellevue yesterday afternoon after impressive funeral services by Dr. Blackwell at 4:30 P. M., from the residence of Mr. Hurst, No. 412 South Fourth street. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John Morris, Bruce Sellers, Ben Morrill, Herman Mills, David Boone and David Sinclair. The remains were accompanied to Wilmington from Florida by Mrs. Hurst, the mother of the deceased, and Mr. J. M. Coleman, her husband.

Election in New Hanover.

The returns from the election in the three missing precincts of the county brought no material change, except a slight increase in the majority yesterday. The Canvassing Board will meet to-day and officially declare the result.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Jno. H. Kuck—Notice.
Academy of Music—Innes.
J. A. Springer & Co.—Coal strike.

THE SUPERIOR COURT

Term for Trial of Criminal Cases Convened Yesterday, Judge Bryan Presiding.

RAPID HEADWAY WAS MADE.

Capt Walter G. MacRae Foreman of the Grand Jury—About Thirty Cases Disposed of—Six Sentenced to Work the County Roads.

New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases convened at 10 A. M. yesterday and will remain in session during this week. Judge Henry R. Bryan is presiding and Solicitor Duffy is present to prosecute cases for the State.

Remarkably rapid headway was made yesterday and when court took a a recess at 5:30 P. M. until 10 A. M. to-day, 30 cases in all had been disposed of. Six defendants were sentenced to terms on the county roads, the aggregate of their sentences having been 43 months. No very important cases were tried, although several went to the jury. The others were submissions.

The following grand jury was sworn with Walter G. MacRae as foreman: D. F. Barnes, F. E. Hashagen, N. M. Hunt, Thos. G. Evans, E. B. Haar, Baxter Croom, J. A. Perry, A. M. Baldwin, C. D. Yarborough, Samuel Northrop, T. D. Love, J. J. Windley, L. C. Craig, W. G. MacRae, C. W. Hill, P. H. Walsh, Chas. V. Motte and J. A. Biddle.

The following jurors drawn for the term were excused: T. O. Bunting, Jr., W. H. Bernard, Eric Norden, Jno. C. Boesch, J. Allen Taylor and W. K. King.

Thos. H. Robbins and Hugh MacRae, failing to answer a, fine of $40 was ordered entered up against them.

The official record of cases disposed of is as follows:

Alex. Johnson, pleaded guilty to abandonment; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Cæsar Shines, carrying concealed weapons; fined $5 and costs.

Ernest Brown, carrying concealed weapons; fined $5 and costs.

O. V. Westbrook, carrying concealed weapons; sentenced to pay $5 fine and costs.

Geo. Ellerby, carrying concealed weapon; fined $5 and costs.

Geo. Ellerby, assault with deadly weapon; pleaded guilty.

W. D. Ganey, carrying concealed weapons; pleaded guilty and fined $5 and costs.

G. W. Bundy, assault with deadly weapon; pleaded guilty and judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Rufus Pierce, pleaded guilty to assault with deadly weapon; fined $5 and costs.

Allamore Hill, submitted to assault with deadly weapon; four months on roads.

Esau Lochlin, submitted to carrying concealed weapon; $10 fine and costs.

John Sharpless, false pretence; nol. pros. with leave.

Yank Strickland, carrying concealed weapons; verdict guilty; 60 days on roads.

Isaac Pollock, larceny; pleaded guilty; four months on public roads.

W. H. Hicks submitted to assault with deadly weapon, and sentenced to four months on public roads.

Nelson Jenkins, larceny, verdict by jury and sentenced to nine months on roads.

Fine against W. K. King, defaulting juror, stricken out and juror excused for the week.

Malley Russ, larceny; pleaded guilty and judgment suspended on payment of costs.

George Hurst and Albert Haine, larceny, verdict of guilty by jury and sentenced to twelve months each on roads.

Julia Moore, f. and a., nol pros. with leave.

Ben Richardson, carrying concealed weapon, nol pros. with leave.

James W. Smith, nuisance; nol pros. with leave.

A. T. Piver, embezzlement, pleaded guilty; judgment suspended on payment of costs. Defendant recognized with E. J. Piver and J. A. Temple for appearance at January term of Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases for the payment of $50.89 to C. H. Dock.

W. D. Ganey, carrying concealed weapons; pleaded guilty and judgment suspended on payment of cost.

Minnie Wright, assault and battery. Not guilty by jury.

Washington Wiley, assault with deadly weapon. Submitted and judgment suspended on payment of costs.

William Melvin, carrying concealed weapon; verdict not guilty by jury.

George Pigford, larceny; continued until January term.

J. C. Singletary and Laura McKenzie, f. and a.; continued until next term.

The following talesmen were ordered summoned for to-day: E. H. Sneed, D. J. Fergus, Marcus Gray, J. E. Ennett, S. P. McNair, L. S. Butler, John C. Biggs, Vance Norwood, John L. Grafflin, Robt. M. Wescott, E. P. H. Strunck, P. F. Duffy, Wm. Oscar Page, L. A. Weeden, Wm. Goodman, J. S. Sellars, J. H. Mallard, A. H. Holmes.

Marriage in Fayetteville.

The following wedding invitations have been received: "Mr. and Mrs. James Dobbin McNeill will give in marriage their daughter Margaretta Gilbert to Mr. Henry Nutt Parsley on Thursday evening, November twentieth, in the year of nineteen hundred and two at half after seven o'clock, St. John's Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina. The honor of your presence is requested."

Two Diphtheria Quarantines.

The Health Department yesterday quarantined the residence of Mr. Willie Wilson, No. 115 Ann street. His little daughter, Margaret, two years old, has diphtheria. The night previous a quarantine for the same disease was established at the residence of Mr. R. F. Hamme, 104 North Fourth street. His son, Linwood, 13 years old, has the disease.

ELECTIONS IN THE STATE.

Klutiz and Gudger Are Safe—House and Senate Largely Democratic—Railroad for Duplin and Pender.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 5.—Latest returns from the Tenth District show that Gudger has probably 250 majority over Moody. Klutiz telegraphed tonight that he has 1,700 majority over Blackburn in the eighth. Two judicial districts, the thirteenth and fifteenth, elected Republican solicitors. Eight out of fifty State Senators will be Republican. The House of Representatives will have not more than seventeen Republicans. It is estimated to-night that Clark will fall 8,000 behind the regular Democratic ticket. A charter was granted to-day for the Kinston and Carolina Railroad Co., having for its object the construction and operation of a railroad from Kinston through portions of Lenoir, Duplin and Pender counties to some suitable point on the old Wilmington and Weldon railroad. The length of the road will be about sixty miles. The Board of Directors named in the articles of agreement is composed of W. C. Swift, C. F. Harvey, J. W Lynch, H. Tull, J. M. Parrott, of Kinston, P. P. Lahens, of New York. The capital is $500,000.

(By Associated Press.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 5.—Semi-official figures, with one county lacking, give the Democratic State ticket a majority of 64,266. Democrats elect 45 of the 50 State Senators. The House is 97 Democrats, 21 Republicans, one Independent Democrat and one doubtful.

Ten Democratic Congressmen are elected by the following majorities: First, Small, 10,558; Second, Claude Kitchin, 11,374; Third, Thomas, 6,015; Fourth, Pou, 11,000; Fifth, W. W. Kitchin, 7,955; Seventh, Page, (no opposition); Sixth, Patterson, 4,680; Eighth, Klutiz, 1,651; Ninth, Webb, 5,092; Tenth, Gudger, 241.

WAYNE GIVES 2,000 MAJORITY.

An Apt Quotation From John R. Smith—Election News at Tarboro.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Nov. 5.—The official vote for Wayne county will be canvassed at 10 A. M. to-morrow. Because of the fact that several precincts have only reported majorities, the official vote is not obtainable to-night, I have just gone over the tabulated report with Chairman Daniels and the estimate of lastnight will not be materially changed by the official count. The Democratic majority for the judicial, State and Congressional tickets will be 2000 or above.

The Democratic majority on the county and legislative ticket will range from 1,800 to 2,000. Clark runs behind the State ticket but very few votes.

In some townships he actually led the ticket. Hill received about 650 votes in the county from all sources. Grant, the Independent candidate for sheriff, carried his township by a small majority, while the balance of the Democratic ticket received a majority.

John R. Smith, Republican, says of result: "The Lord chasteneth whom He loveth, but this time He has whipped us like the devil."

TARBORO, N. C., Nov. 5.—Complete returns from twelve precincts out of fourteen, give Clark 1,543, Hill 98. No opposition to the Legislative ticket.

700 MAJORITY IN ONSLOW.

Fourteen Precincts Give That, With Six Yet to Hear From.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

JACKSONVILLE, N. C., Nov. 5.—Returns from fourteen precincts out of twenty in Onslow give 840 for the entire Democratic ticket and 140 for the entire Republican ticket. Six precincts are yet to hear from. The lightest vote in years was cast, some precincts not voting half the registration. There was very little scratching.

SAMPSON WENT TO THE BAD

Estimated From Latest Returns That County is 400 Republican.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

CLINTON, N. C., Nov. 5.—It is estimated here from the best advices today that Sampson county is 400 Republican. The Populist vote which has lately turned Republican, body and soul, is responsible therefor.

Miss Foster to Mr. Edwards.

Friends in the city have received handsomely engraved invitations reading as follows: "Mrs. Mary C. Foster requests the honour of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Norma, to Mr. J. Daniel Edwards, on Wednesday, November the nineteenth, in the year nineteen hundred and two, at half after five o'clock. First Baptist church, Wilmington, North Carolina. At home Wednesdays after December the first, 217 Red Cross street."

Two Carnival Weddings.

License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Ruth Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore, of Malmo, Brunswick county, to Mr. Fred M. McKoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. McKoy, of Cronly, N. C. License was issued by the Register of Deeds Tuesday for the marriage of Miss Pattie May Ashley, daughter of Mrs. Nettie Ashley, of Ashpole, N. C., to Mr. Lucas P. Ballenger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien P. Ballenger, of Boardman, N. C.

'TWAS PYTHIAN DAY.

Carnival and Merchants' Fall Festival Yesterday Exceeded All Expectations.

THE PARADE LAST NIGHT.

It Was a Brilliant Affair—Crowds the Most Intense Ever Seen on the Streets—Mont Pelee Eruption To-Night—Fakirs Ousted.

'Twas Pythian Day at the Carnival yesterday and the best of them all. The crowds were larger; the people were in better humor; the weather, barring a slight sprinkle early last night, was more suitable to out-door amusements; the shows were seen to better advantage and there was one great, big, splendid feature to "cap the climax"—the grand K. of P. street parade last night at 8:30 o'clock.

Reduced rates obtained on all railroads yesterday and every train from the surrounding country only served to swell the gay multitude in the Carnival district. The crowd down town last night was the largest ever seen without qualification.

The Carolina Central, Newbern and W., C. & A. trains brought in a large number of excursionists in the early afternoon and the trains last night were late because of heavy fair travel. The A. & Y. alone brought down 80 Carnival visitors and this in the face of the fact that the Cumberland Fair is now going on in Fayetteville. To-day the crowds will be larger and although it seems almost impossible to break the record of yesterday, it looks like it's going to be done.

Yesterday there was a hueand cry raised about the indecency [of certain shows on the midway and a delegation of ministers had started down town to make complaint to the fair management, but the Executive Committee had already acted. The shows were visited and every semblance of immorality connected with the performance was promptly suppressed. The K. of P. order stands for no such as was complained and of the prompt action of the Executive Committee was without coercion or intimidation. The order upholds nothing immoral and the 500 Pythians of the city desire that emphatic assertion. The same may be said of the alleged gambling devices—the reporter says "alleged," because he didn't play any of them—and all such were promptly suppressed night before last. Yesterday an effort was made to stop the target shooting, cane and knife racks, etc., and they were stopped for a while, but were later allowed to proceed as they were unmolested in the Carnival last year.

Purged and made clean, all the shows will be open "at the old stand" to-day as usual.

The parade last night was the most elaborate ever essayed in Wilmington and to Chairman Jno. J. Fowler and his enterprising committee is due unbounded praise for the happy manner in which every detail passed off. The procession was about six squares in length and moved with mechanical perfection. Of course the cynosure of all eyes was the Queen and her maids of honor, all of whom were elegantly costumed and carried their honors gracefully and handsomely. The float was designed by Richards, the scenic artist, and was handsomely executed in Pythian colors. The lighting effect was grand. Under the canopy was suspended one of the powerful Kitson lamps of the Turrentine Light Co., and it was given the personal attention of Mr. Frank P. Turrentine, of Charlesion, an expert in that line. The Queen, Miss Mamie McGirt, wore an exquisite gown of white silk and the costumes of her maids of honor, Misses Edna Fleet, Isabel Struthers, Lily Horne, Bella Lawther and Clara Adkins, were none the less magnificent and in keeping with the handsome float in which they rode, drawn by four large milk-white horses with elaborate trappings and led by four Nubian attendants in servile dress.

A platoon of police headed the parade and the start was from Third and Chesnut streets at 8:40 o'clock. Hollowbush's and the Second Regiment bands came next and discoursed martial airs as the procession moved gracefully down Third to Red Cross, to Front and up Front to Orange street. The streets were literally thronged and the pageant was cheered to the echo as it passed. Following the band came Chief Marshal Jno. J. Fowler and assistants in carriages and on horseback. Next came the W. L. I. in command of Capt. Alex. P. Adrian and the Naval Reserves in command of Lieuts. H. M. Chase and N. N. Davis. Then followed the Boys' Brigade in command of Col. Walker Taylor and the Queen's float, escorted by a mounted and uniformed detachment from the Uniform Rank P. of P. consisting of Maj. W. F. Robertson (commanding) and Sir Knights C. W. Polvogt, W. E. Perdew, John H. Rehder, J. J. Hopkins, and J. P. Quelch. Six little pages in costume had a place in the float as honorary escorts. Next in the procession came three hundred or more local and visiting Pythians on foot and bearing torch lights golore. The Fire Department came next and last and contributed wonderfully to the splendid display. There were six double teams drawing apparatus and every Wilmingtonian felt proud of their Department in command of Chief Schnibben as it passed in review.

The Programme for To-day.

To-day is Mont Pelee Day, so called for the brilliant display of fireworks that will take place on the river front at 8 o'clock to-night. Eight o'clock is the official hour given out last midnight and is not subject to change, unless the weather interferes. This display was secured by the Pythians at an additional cost of $500, and it will be a grand affair. It will take place at foot of Market street from three barges in the middle of the stream. Every precaution will be taken by Chief Schnibben and his fire laddies to prevent a conflagration. A limited number of seats will be sold by the Pythians at the foot of the street at 25 cents each, but to all who choose to stand, the exhibition will be free. All the shows will cease operation while the eruption is in progress. The steamer *Wilmington* will also take a limited number of passengers and move out into the stream for 15 cents each. The management of the pyrotechnics requests that no vessels come nearer than 100 yards to the barges. An extra car load of fireworks for the eruption came yesterday.

Yesterday, Chet Baldwin, the balloonist, was taken suddenly ill a short time before the hour for the ascension, hence that free attraction had to be abandoned. To-day, however, at 5 o'clock, the ascension and parachute leap will be made, to the delight of hundreds. Lotto, the high diver, will make two of his phenomenal leaps as a free attraction at 10 A. M. and 10 P. M., Market, between Second and Third streets. At Front and Market the free trapeze performances will be in progress hourly during the day. At Front and Chesnut, the free trapeze work by the Adams will take place at 3 P. M. and 8 P. M.

The paid attractions will open at 1 and 7 P. M. All Knights, who can serve as ticket takers, for this afternoon's shows will please report at Pythian Headquarters at 1 P. M., and those who will serve at the night shows will report at 7 P. M. Also all paid ticket takers, who have been serving, will report at the above hours.

More As to The Gambling.

In reference to the alleged gambling devices in operation on the streets Tuesday the STAR learns that the Executive Committee of the K. of P. Carnival and Merchant's Fall Festival, took summary steps to stop it the same night, and that a special meeting of the Executive Committee was called yesterday morning and the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"That this committee having become aware of the gambling games going on in the streets, do hereby emphatically condemn the same, and request the Mayor and Sheriff to suppress them promptly and effectually."

The request of the Pythians was promptly complied with by the authorities and a vigilant watch is being maintained to see that the law is enforced in every particular.

Additions to Carnival Crowds.

The Southern train which arrived at 12 o'clock last night from Florence brought about 100 passengers for the Carnival. All hotels and boarding houses, catering to transient patronage, are full and the Public Comfort Committee's service will be required to day to find homes for the visitors while in the city. Col. Walker Taylor is in charge of the Information Bureau and to him all applications should be made. The crowds from the country are with us for certain by a "very large majority."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss Julia Fillyaw is visiting in Weldon during the Fair there.

— Miss Mary W. Cromartie is a guest of Miss Keith Covington.

— Miss Lillian Fowler, of Masontoro, is spending the week in the city.

— Mr. T. P. Bagley is at home from Davidson College for the Carnival.

— Misses Rena, Etta and Julia Canady, of Scott's Hill, are among the Carnival visitors.

— Miss Rosa Short, of Washington, N. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. J. Springer.

— Mrs. C. N. Page, of Tar Landing, is visiting her son, Mr. W. C. Page, on Campbell street.

— Miss Annie Clowe and Miss Maggie Armstrong, of Tar Landing, are the guests of Mrs. W. C. Page.

— Mrs. J. H. Laud, Jr., of Chadbourn, is in the city for the Carnival, the guest of Mrs. Joe Mitchell, No. 7 South Fourth street.

— Rev. J. L. Vipperman, Messrs. D. L. Gore, H. L. Peterson, and B. B. Pridgen, left yesterday morning to attend the Wilmington Baptist Association in session at Long Creek, Pender county.

INNES AND HIS GREAT BAND.

Something of the Versatility of the Man Who Controls and Directs the Peerless Organization.

Innes, who will be here with his band, at the Academy Saturday night is a most remarkable person. Although he is recognized as a genius, it may be said that he "blew himself" into fame with his trombone. Then, just when he had attained an easy position as soloist, he quit the business and started anew in his present field. Within a few years his band became quite as much of a sensation as his solo playing had previously been. Innes is a creative power in any field. He is forever doing something new. His band occupies a distinctive sphere. Having the capabilities of an orchestra through its strange instrumentatiou, it still retains the brilliancy and martial spirit of the ordinary concert band. When on the platform directing his band Innes looks thoroughly musicianly. When off the rostrum, he looks like anyone else. He will, off-hand, score an overture, write a good magazine article, or make a rattling good after-dinner speech. These are fortunate faculties, and are probably due to the fact that his early struggles compelled him to be his own business manager, press agent, organizer and band director, all rolled into one.

The advance sale of seats will commence at Plummer's to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock instead of 7 o'clock as heretofore.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, Nov. 4th, 1902.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Blanche Brown, Lula Bryant, Mrs. Henry Carr, Mrs. John D. Cooper, Mrs. D. J. Daniel, Mary E. Fones, Add Lee Galery, Cornelia Holton, Carrie May Heilig, Belle Howard, Emmer Jessie, Mattie King, Sallie Jane Lee, Haddie Lewis, Annie McNeill, Sarah Mishell, Mary Nash, Miss J. T. Nuwell, Mary Robeson, Ellen Ruffins, Sadie B. Floris, Sarah C. Swinson (2), Sophia Waples, Hattie Williams, Nancy Williams.

MEN'S LIST.

W. E. Albriton, W. G. Ashley, S. A. Barber, John Benjamin, R. L. Boney, John L. Boney, W. D. Blaylock, Charles Brennicks, J. T. Brown, R. E. Bryant, I. Casteen, W. H. Chinnis, William Dorris, C. H. Dismond, Willis Dunlap (2), R. E. Edwards, William Fennell, Benjamin Fulton, Geo. M. Greer, Walter Hardy, W. B. Harris, Fennel Johnson, Manuel Jones, Roy Johnson, J. F. Lawn, H. T. Lee, Robert Lide, Jessie Love, Alex McLaurin, Walter Matthis, Abram Marshall, C. D. Merritt, S. O. Middleton, V. C. Moore, M. Oberry, Paul Reed, W. B. Rothwell, W. P. Rose, W. H. Royall, Walter Rivenbark, B. McD. Russell, Mr. Sellers, George Stricklin, J. H. Summerlin, B. J. White, G. F. Walters, E. J. Watson, C. Wainwright, J. Leroy Wiggins, Wm. Weep, I. F. Wishart, B. W. Wood, T. C. Williams, W. F. Wrightson.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

Lewis Burns, T. W. Fencher, G. E. McNeill, Agnes Willis.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

A WORD TO THE WISE

THE MORNING STAR Business Locals Column offers the best, cheapest and surest means of getting quick returns on advertisements for—

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200 Bags Coffee,

Assorted Grades,

100 Barrels, New Catch, Roe Mullets,

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50 Show Cases.
25 Iron Safes, all sizes.

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Wilmington, N. C.,
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THE GREAT COAL STRIKE!

Having been declared off, we shall at an early day be fully prepared to supply our friends with

Grate, Stove, Chestnut and Furnace Coal.

No need now to borrow trouble about the Coal question. We promise to take care of you. In the meantime we beg to offer

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AT REASONABLE PRICES.

As for WOOD, we have the finest stock of heavy Oak, Ash, Blackjack and Lightwood at old prices. No advance.

Place your orders with us and be protected.

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The People's Savings Bank is popular with money savers.

First—It is a safe bank.

Second—It is a bank for all the people, rich and poor, men, women and children.

Third—It is courteous to depositors and aims to accommodate them.

Fourth—It pays 4 per cent. interest on deposits, compounded quarterly.

Fifth—It invites accounts from all who wish to save or invest money.

The People's Savings Bank,
Opposite the Postoffice.
H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
nov 2 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

Don't Dress in the Cold

It puts too severe a tax on your vitality, and you may feel the strain all day.

Have your room heated with gas, and start the day right.

You can *sleep* in the cold, if you want to, and light the gas before you get out of bed. The room will soon be "nice and warm."

Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.

BOSSON'S ADV. SERVICE, BOSTON.
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ACADEMY OF MUSIC,
SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 8.

INNES
AND HIS BAND.

Reserved seats on sale at Plummer's Friday morning, we th sa nov 5 3t

Important Notice.

We wish to inform our regular customers as well as the public at large that we have just received a consignment of Foreign Wines, which we offer to everybody at the following low price for a short time only:

Rhine Wine, Vintage	1898, per gal.,		$1.00
Port "	"	1900, " "	1.00
Claret "	"	1900, " "	1.00
Port "	"	1890, " "	2.00

Samples FREE at store.

Regular Hams 12c per pound.

JNO. H. KUCK,
Importer and Bottler.
No. 6 North Water St.
Bell 'Phone 185. no 2 tf

Finest of the Season.

New Catch

MULLETS.

We can fill your orders promptly.

HALL & PEARSALL.
Incorporated.
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Printer Wanted.

Wanted, one first class compositor who has had experience on a daily morning paper. Must have good recommendations as to habits and qualifications.

Address the MORNING STAR,
oc 26 tf Wilmington, N. C.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

We are well supplied with competent barbers now; but we can accommodate a few more customers to whom we guarantee the very best attention. Call at the old Prompert headquarters.

GUION & DAVIS,
sep 7 tf 7 South Front S

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING. NOV. 6.

SOME FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT COTTON SEED.

Several days ago we published an extract from a letter of a correspondent of the New York *Sun* who wrote about the industrial progress and growth of Charlotte. The extract we quoted was on the growth of the cotton manufacturing industry, in connection with which he gave some interesting facts and figures about the cotton seed oil industry, which we quote, as follows:

The conversion of the cotton seed into oil and other by-products such as feed and fertilizer, is one of the most important collateral branches of manufacturing industry here in North Carolina, as well as all through the South, for that matter.

Except down in the Southeast, where a small percentage was used for fertilizing purposes, the old-time planters used to throw the cotton seed away as so much sheer waste. Out of this seed there is now squeezed in the South every year from 80,000,000 to 100,000,000 gallons of oil, worth from $20,000,000 to $25,000,0000.

But this not all. There is something like $15,000,000 more in the hulls, which sell for $4 a ton; in the meal, which sells for $20 a ton, and in short lint attaching to the seed, which sells for two cents a pound. So that what the Southern planters of the past used to throw away the Southern planters of to-day convert into from $35,000,000 to $40,000,000 every year.

This oil is distributed pretty much all over the world in one form or another. About 500,000 barrels of it go to Chicago every year to make lard, another 100,000 barrels go to the same city to make soap, 40,000 barrels of it go to the Mediterranean and France to come back here and spread all over the world as fine olive oil, for 10 per cent. of real olive oil will give it just enough nutty flavor to take away at least a little of the taste that tells of its origin down here in Dixie.

Then 200,000 barrels of it go to Holland every year to make that pure Holland butter of which the Dutch are so justly proud. The coast of Maine fish dealers take 20,000 barrels of it a year, for it is a fact well-known to all epicures that the imported sardine is only at its best when it is prepared in pure olive oil—and that, by the way, is one of the reasons there are such large exportations of the cotton seed product to France every year.

All this, however, only touches Charlotte in a general way, for at present there are only two cotton seed oil mills here, with a capital of about $500,000 and using between 300 tons of seed a day. A ton of cotton seed will turn out about forty gallons of oil, so that Charlotte's output of the oil is about 12,000 gallons daily.

There isn't one person in a thousand even of those who are engaged in the growing and handling of cotton who had any idea of the various uses to which cotton seed oil is put, or of the varied demand there is for it, or of the quantities consumed in lines of business in which it plays such an important part as a factor. The facts and figures bearing upon this in this extract give some idea of this and also foreshadow the possibilities there are in this industry.

One basic fact is that it plays such an important part as a constituent element in food stuffs and other necessaries for which with the world's increasing population there will be a proportionately increasing demand. This already large and increasing demand for it in this country as a constituent in the manufacture of oleomargarine, butterine, cottoline and other substitutes for butter and lard was one of the reasons and the main reason for the enactment of the anti-oleomargarine law, amended, to make it more stringent, at the last session of Congress. Without cottonseed oil the manufacture of oleomargarine would have been an unprofitable industry, and the oleomargarine manufacturer could never have competed with the dairyman, so that cotton seed was to some extent becoming a competitor of the cow.

Dutch butter is famous, tons of it being shipped to England and other countries and bought for its excellence, but we are told in this extract that 200,000 barrels of cottonseed oil go to that country annually to become a constituent part of gilt edge butter, while in this country one of the objections to oleomargarine, of which cottonseed oil constitutes one of the principal ingredients, is its alleged impurity and unhealthfulness, a pure fiction, for chemical tests have established the fact that there is not an injurious article used in the manufacture of oleomargarine and the same tests prove that cottonseed oil is purer and more wholesome than lard and much of the so-called good butter that is put upon the market. Whether in consequence of this hostile legislation the demand for cottonseed oil has decreased we do not know, but if so the embargo will not last long, for the dairymen cannot always rule the majority in Congress nor shape legislation in their interest.

But even if it did it would not permanently or seriously affect that industry. It would simply compel those interested in it to seek other markets and to investigate to ascertain to what new uses the oil may be put, or what additional manipulation is practicable to give it increased value. As it is the only returns the oil mills get out of the seed is the value of the crude oil, the hulls, meal, oil cake, etc., making a sum which in the aggregate amounts to many millions, but nothing in comparison to the actual value in the seed if were utilized in a way that would bring out its full possibilities.

Edward Atkinson and others who have given thought to this subject say that if cotton seed were worked to the best advantage the crop of seed would be worth more in actual values than the lint that covers it, which means that a crop of cotton which brings in the market, say $300,000,000, would be worth with the seed more that $600,000,000, which proves that if cotton were grown for the seed alone, and effort were made to improve the seed yield, quality, etc., as has been done to improve the quantity and quality of the lint, planters could grow cotton for the seed alone, throw the lint away and make as much money and profit (and perhaps more profit) than they make now on the cotton, minus the seed. This may look like an unreasonable or visionary statement, but the men who make it support it with facts and figures and argument which prove that it is not.

Take the item of hulls and meal, hundreds of tons of which are shipped west to fatten cattle for market. These hulls and meal, sold at a low figure, converted into beef sell for eight or ten cents a pound. If they had been converted into beef on the Southern farm, or at the Southern oil mill, what was not converted into beef would have become a valuable land fertilizer, enriching the farm and adding to its value. And so if the oil shipped away to be used in the manufacture of oleomargarine, butterine, cottoline, etc., were thus used at home the South would reap the profit out of it which is now reaped by the Western and other manufacturers, to whom it is shipped as crude oil. If refineries were established, instead of shipping the crude oil to be manufactured into "sweet" and "olive" oil, we could supply commerce with most of these and get a part at least of the profit that now goes to the foreign manipulators.

But it takes time for all this, for this is a comparatively new industry in the South, and it will take time to work out its full possibilities.

OUR GRADED SCHOOLS.

North Carolina was the first of the Southern States, we believe, to adopt the graded school system and the probabilities are that she leads in them now both in number and efficiency, ranking with the best in that line. Being confined, of course, to the cities and larger towns, they do not attract much attention in the State at large, but they are a very important and valuable link in our educational system, filling in the gap between the primary school and the college.

In his forthcoming report Superintendent Joyner gives some interesting information as to their number and progress, the substance of which is thus given by the Raleigh *Post*:

The work of compiling statistics from reports of superintendents of city and town graded schools for the year ending July 1st is now being completed in the office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. This is the first year reports have been gotten from these schools, the superintendents having heretofore in many instances declined to report. However, Supt. Joyner appealed to them on the ground that without such reports it would be impossible for anything like an accurate or creditable showing be made in his report of the money really expended in the State for education in the public schools.

The compilation of the reports, all of which are in hand, show about $200,000 raised and expended in the maintenance of these 33 graded schools. This will give a grand total of upwards of $1,400,000 raised and expended in the State for the public schools city and rural.

Yesterday blanks were sent out to all county superintendents of schools on which are expected to make at once to State Superintendent Joyner reports of the situation in their respective counties as to consolidation of school districts, local taxation, the number of school houses built during the past year and the per cent of private contributions toward the erection of school houses. These reports are to be in by the time the State convention of county superintendents of public schools meets here Nov. 12, 13 and 14. Supt. Joyner thinks at least ten times as much money from private sources has been given for public school houses the past year than during any previous year in the history of public schools in the State.

While these schools, well conducted as they are, have been such an important factor in the schooling of our boys and girls, they have also much to do in promoting the growth and prosperity of the places in which they are located, drawing many families to them whose main object in going was the opportunity presented for educating their children. We rejoice in the success attending them as shown by Superintendent Joyner's report.

There is a queer combination vouched for by the Philadelphia *Ledger*, a respectable and conscientious paper of the George Washington hatchet kind. A young lady named Death was operated upon for appendicitis by a Dr. Dye. The nurses who attended her in the hospital were named Payne and Grone and yet she survived, notwithstanding the unique combination.

Mr. Carnegie is not troubled with any disagreeable neighbors at his "Summer home" in Scotland. His Skibo ranch is twenty miles long and eight miles wide.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

THEY HELD THEIR GRIP.

It is rather early to speculate on the outcome of the late elections, but the Republicans ought to be pretty well satisfied with the results, holding as they do the next House of Representatives, although by a somewhat decreased majority, which leaves them in full control of the Government as they are now. They were considerably alarmed before and up to the day of election which made them work all the harder. They did work and good workers they are, besides which they have an organization and a discipline which lacks but little of military method and effectiveness. The traders may differ, and differ radically, but they never lose sight of the success of the party, and when that is at stake they pull together, in which they set an example to Democratic leaders which might be followed with profit, but is not.

Before the election some Democratic leaders expressed the opinion that it would be better for the Democratic party that the Republicans held possession of the next House, but we didn't think so and do not think so now. A Democratic House, while it would not be able to effect anything in the way of legislation of National importance, could have done much by wise management to put the party in good shape for the next Presidential contest, whereas we have now simply to drift along as we have been doing, and take advantage of any blunders the Republicans may make. Being in undisputed power gives the Republicans two years more to get their fences in order for the next election, and the probabilities are they will have sagacity enough to keep an eye on that.

Their most vulnerable points in the past campaign were the tariff and the trusts; it was on these that the Democrats made whatever gains they did make, and it wouldn't be like the crafty Republican leaders if they didn't profit by their experience and make some placating concessions to the demand for tariff reform and trust-curbing legislation, something in the way of reciprocity treaties, which would give some of the manufacturers the free raw materials they want, and perhaps a slight reduction of duty on trust-controlled manufactures. Nearly all the speakers pledged the party to tariff revision "on protection lines when the proper time comes," so as not to disturb business. They will probably come to the conclusion, sometime within the next two years, that the proper time has come, the proper time for them to take the wind out of the Democratic sails.

While the result in the North is not as we would have had it, it is in a measure offset by the splendid victory in the other Southern States and in this State, which assures us good, safe rule, and eliminates the scheming and disgruntled element as factors in our politics. We never had any doubt of this from the start, but now we are sure of it. The voters of North Carolina, have vindicated their intelligence, their devotion to principle and patriotism by the splendid verdict they have rendered at the polls, and have shown that they can't be bamboozled by false pretenders masquerading in their disguise.

Some of the Steel Trust people do not think that President Schwab is doing just the proper thing in scooting around in Europe and scattering his money "like a Prince." How unreasonable some of these people are. They objectdd to his bucking the tiger at Monte Carlo on his first jaunt over there. They don't seem to want to let him have any fun.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— Mr. Schwab is traveling about Italy in a luxurious manner, which will be sure to inspire more immigration from that country. They will all want to come over and go into the Schwab business.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— In the thorough and systematic manner in which the members of the anthracite coal strike commission are prosecuting their investigation of conditions existing in the mines there is convincing proof that they propose to put themselves in possession of all the facts necessary to equitable arbitration.—*Washington Times, Rep.*

—— The Florida Everglades, once classed as "the largest body of waste lands east of the Mississippi," is now raising cane and various other commodities that find mention in the market reports. "Saving the waste" is not entirely confined to the trusts—the farmers also are also in it.—*Jacksonville Times Union, Dem.*

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

You Know What You Are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay, Price, 50c. sa tu th

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Greenville *Reflector*: The store of Henry Stallings, at Jamesville, was entered by a thief Sunday night, who secured $415 in money, besides other valuables.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: Mr. A. J. Lanning, of Michael, has a cotton stalk that has 164 blossoms and bolls included. It has 135 bolls that have coton in them, and of the 135 bolls at least 120 are full grown bolls.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*—L. H. Davis, register of deeds of Surry county, is reported Monday night at Dobson while acting as peace make two friends got into political dispute in the office and simultaneously drew pistols. Davis rushed between them receiving both balls, one in his neck, the other in the side and is not expected to recover.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The Kinston tobacco market has sold to October 1st, 1892, 8,077,100 pounds of the weed. During October 4,335,784 pounds were sold, making a total of 12,413,884 pounds. This beats previous records by long odds. Wilson is bragging on selling about 14,000,000 pounds. If only wagon, or hauled tobacco, is counted we believe Kinston will beat Wilson. For a young market Kinston beats the world. The probability is that next year Kinston will beat Wilson and lead all the eastern markets, even if we are a young market.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson heard the Mt. Olive murder case on habeas corpus proceedings at chambers in this city to-day (Tuesday) and released Dr. J. W. Kornegay and the negro Ed Pearsall, who were in the buggy at the time Jim Cox was shot last Thursday night, and had been arrested on the recommendation of the Coroner's jury. Judge Robinson heard the evidence of Dr. Kornegay and Ed Pearsall, both of whom testified that George Futrell, who was also in the buggy from which the shots were fired that killed the negro, did the shooting with a pistol, and that he did it before either one of the other two knew that Futrell even had a pistol.

— Winston *Republican*: Winston-Salem is to have another large furniture factory with a capital of $100,000. Report says that only high grade furniture will be manufactured. —— Elkin, N. C., is to have a knitting mill with a capital stock of $10,000. Twenty machines are to be operated. —— The P. H. Hanes knitting mill is about ready to begin operations in this city. Fine underwear for men and women will be made. The plant is a large one and will employ many hands. —— Capt. R. A. Jenkins, of the Twin-City, is preparing to make his farm, a few miles north of the city, an attractive as well as a profitable possession. Orchards of improved fruit have been planted. Pecans, English walnuts and other nut-bearing trees will receive due attention, while cattle, hogs, chickens, rabbits and bees will be raised and kept for the pleasure and profit that good attention will merit.

TWINKLINGS.

— An Atchison husband hovered at death's door so long his wife remarked that he supposed he was having his usual trouble finding the keyhole.—*Atchison Globe.*

— He—"In matters of fashion women follow each other like a flock of sheep." She—"Just, so, and men follow each other like women."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— "You can never tell what will turn up in politics," observed the ward heeler, "Yes, and that isn't the worst of it," rejoined the ex-candidate. "You can't never tell who will be turned down."—*Life.*

— "John," she said, "there's nothing I enjoy more than reading the last words of great men. I wonder what your last words will be?" "Maria," he replied, "the last word is something I never expect to have." And this was the first time on record that he got it.

— Small Boy—Give me a large bottle of the worst medicine you've got in your store. Druggist—What's the matter? "Well, I've been left all alone with grandma, and she's suddenly been taken sick, and I'm going to get even with her!"—*Life.*

— Professor—We are told that Napoleon always had a copy of Homer in his pocket. Student—Well, if he always had it in his pocket, what good did it do him? Professor—There, there, young man, don't get smart.—*Columbus (Ohio) State Journal.*

He Was Rather "Close."

An English clergyman of the eighteenth century, the Rev. Mr. Jones of Blewbury, with a nest egg of £200 and a stipend amounting to £50 per annum, left at death the sum of £10,000. He had been rector of his parish for forty years, and during all that time only one person had been known to sit at his festal table. No fire was ever lighted in his house, nor was a servant kept. In winter he would visit his parishioners to keep himself from perishing of cold rather than light a fire at the rectory.—Cassell's Journal.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

Catarrh and Hay Fever.

Liquid Cream Balm is becoming quite as popular in many localities as Ely's Cream Balm solid. It is prepared for use in atomizers, and is highly prized by those who have been accustomed to call upon physicians for such a treatment. Many physicians are using and prescribing it. All the medicinal properties of the celebrated Cream Balm are contained in the Liquid form, which is 75 cts., including a spraying tube. All druggists, or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York. †

For over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, soften the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER, LUNGS.

BUT IT DOESN'T.

Many Have the Erroneous Idea that Fat Makes Fat.

One Reason of Cod Liver Oil's Popularity

Nevertheless a Decidedly Wrong Impression.

Fat taken into the stomach does not make fat. Thousands of physicians have prescribed cod liver oil for wasting diseases and all troubles that show themselves in a decline of weight. Physicians know that the fat or grease is not what is necessary to make fat or tissue. They also know that it is one of the main things that make cod liver oil impractical in many cases. The fat is too rich to be digested by a stomach weakened by disease.

When cod liver oil is given, often the oil passes from the body in exactly the same state in which it is received. The reason doctors prescribe cod liver oil is that it contains curative properties. It is to take advantage of these same curative properties that they have so often tried to force their patients to take this horrible, greasy, vile-smelling, nauseating remedy.

There are but few people who have not had experience in one way or another with cod liver oil, and even the thought of its smell is enough to cause a shudder. When we think of these things it is not strange that every one in our city is sounding the praise of Vinol.

Vinol, which Mr. Robert R. Bellamy is handling, is the solution of an embarrassing puzzle that physicians have had to contend with for years. Much has been said in the past few days of this wonderful discovery and yet it would be impossible to say too much in its praise.

Vinol, Wine of Cod Liver Oill, will indeed prove itself a Godsend of the most precious kind. As we have described it before, there is no need now of entering into the subject at length; but just remember that in Vinol you can procure all the medicinal properties or curative principles that make cod liver oil famous, but *without the greasy fat.* Vinol contains just the right amount of the active medicinal properties of the cod's liver that is necessary for the cure of such diseases as cod liver oil has been prescribed for.

This is a subject that every one should become familiar with and we recommend that you make inquiries of your of your druggist in regard to Vinol, or if you will call on Mr. Robert R. Bellamy, who has associated himself with the Boston chemists who are preparing this remedy, he will gladly give any one all explanations that may be desired in regard to this subject.

Precedent.

A clever answer in court was that given to Chief Justice Coleridge years ago, when he was defending a lady who had become a Sister of Mercy and was expelled from the convent for refusing to obey the rules.

She had brought an action for expulsion and libel. In the course of the trial Coleridge assumed that breaches of discipline are trivial, contemptible and should never be noticed.

"What has Miss Sawin done?" he asked Mrs. Kennedy, a mistress of novices.

"Well," said the lady, "she has, for example, eaten strawberries."

"Eaten strawberries? What harm is there in that?"

"It was forbidden, sir," said Mrs. Kennedy.

"But, Mrs. Kennedy, what trouble was likely to come from eating strawberries?"

"Well, sir," said Mrs. Kennedy, "you might as well ask what trouble was likely to come from eating an apple, and yet we know what trouble did come from it."

That closed the discussion.

Too Much For the Sheriff.

An Irish widow with a quick wit one day received a call from a sheriff who had a writ to serve on her. According to the story, the widow saved the day by some rapid fire courting which took the sheriff by surprise when he called at her house and began in formal fashion:

"Madam, I have an attachment for you."

"My dear sir," she said, blushing, "your attachment is reciprocated."

"You don't understand me. You must proceed to court," said the sheriff.

"Well, I know 'tis leap year, but I prefer to let you do the courting yourself. Men are much better at that than women."

"Mrs. Phelan, this is no time for fooling. The justice is waiting."

"The justice waiting! Well, then, I suppose I must go, but the thing is so sudden, and besides I'd prefer a priest to do it."

A Useful Woman.

"Blennerhasset," said Mrs. Bliggins as he was about to start down town, "can you let me have a little money to run the house with today?"

"You can have just 50 cents," he growled, flinging the coin at her and slamming the door behind him as he went out.

"By the way, Bliggins," said a friend who dropped into his place of business an hour or two later, "will you go my security on a note for $500?"

"Shortleigh," replied Bliggins, "it is an inflexible rule in my family that I must never do anything of that kind without consulting my wife."—Chicago Tribune.

A Summer Without Nights.

To the summer visitor in Sweden there is nothing more striking than the almost total absence of night. At Stockholm, the Swedish capital, the sun goes down a few minutes before 10 o'clock and rises again four hours later during a greater part of the month of June. But the four hours the sun lies hidden in the frozen north are not hours of darkness. The refraction of his rays as he passes around the north pole makes midnight as light as a cloudy midday and enables one to read the finest print without artificial light at any time during the "night."

His Cleverness.

The Lady—Jack, why don't you write a book or paint a picture or do something clever?

The Gentleman—Because I selected a millionaire for a father, and I think that was clever enough to last a lifetime.

A Bit of Information.

The London Chronicle casually drops the bit of information that the people of Missouri are called Pikes, "after their great peak." Thus is American history made in the English papers.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, November 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for strained and $1.30 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	80
Rosin	246
Tar	82
Crude turpentine	116

Receipts same day last year—57 casks spirits turpentine, 150 barrels rosin, 133 barrels tar, 49 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5⅝	cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	7	" "
Low middling	7⅝	" "
Middling	8	" "
Good middling	8 3-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅛c for middling.

Receipts—3,948 bales; same day last year, 1,790.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 80c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish (new), 65@70c.

CORN—Firm, 70@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Money on call was firm at 4½@6 per cent.; market closing, bid and asked, at 4@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was firmer; actual business in bankers' bills at 486.875 for demand and at 483.625 for sixty days. The posted rates were 484@484½ and 487½@488. Commercial bills 482.75 @483.25. Bar silver 50½. Mexican dollars quoted at 39¾. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 109½; U. S refunding 2's, coupon, 109¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 108¾; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new registered, 136½; do. coupon, 136½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110¾; do. coupon, 110¾; U. S. 5's, registered, 104½; do. coupon, 104¾; Southern Railway, 5's, 118¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 104½. Chesapeake & Ohio 47⅞; Manhattan L 135⅝; New York Central 154; Reading 64¾; do. 1st preferred 87½; do. 2nd preferred 76; St. Paul 185⅞; do. pref'd, 193½; Southern Railway 35⅛; do. pref'd 93¾; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 63; People's Gas 101⅝; Sugar 119⅜; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63¾; U. S. Leather 13½; do. pref'd, 90¼; Western Union 89⅜; U. S. Steel 39; do. pref'd 86⅞; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 66½; do. preferred, 126; Standard Oil, 677@680.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 29½@29⅝; do. preferred, 47@47⅜; bonds, fours, 85@85⅛.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine firm at 55@55¼.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 5.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 5.—Spirits turpentine was steady at 52¼c; receipts 1,033 casks; sales 592 casks; exports 3,911 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,476 barrels; sales 942 barrels; exports 3,911 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 35, E, $1 40; F, $1 45; G, $1 55; H, $1 75; I, $2 00; K $2 50; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The cotton market opened steady with prices one point lower to two points higher; the prospects of cold weather over the western belt being responsible for the better feeling. Soon after the call weakness developed, and for the rest of the day the tendency was downward under feverish general selling in which the Wall street pool seemed to be taking a large part. Heavy receipts at the ports and interior towns, light export clearances, weakness in many of the Southern spot markets and predictions for increasing receipts, all operated to check investment business and to accelerate the pressure from the bear side. A factor of no small importance was the reported estimate by Neill of 11,400,000 bales minimum for this season's yield. Liverpool was quick to catch the selling spirit from this side and at the close was down three to four points, with sentiment abroad reported by private cables to be distinctly bearish on the liberal receipts. While the late weather forecast for the western belt promised colder conditions with general frost, the trade was in no mood to buy cotton on the news, but was greatly disturbed by the sudden weakness in the stock market. Very heavy selling under these reports occurred in the last hour with the market at the close irregular and net 12 to 14 points lower. Total sales were estimated at 350,000 bales.

The South and commission houses sold the March and May deliveries freely in the last half hour.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Cotton dull at 8 50c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 2,545 bales; stock — bales.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 8.50c; middling gulf 8 75c; sales 280 bales.

Futures market closed irregular; November 8.16, December 8.26, January 8.34, February 8.09, March 8.12, April 8.11, May 8.14, June 8.13, July 8.13, August 8.02.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 23,065 bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 7,690 bales; stock 630,424 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 234,671 bales; exports to Great Britain 82,940 bales; exports to France 6,995 bales; exports to the Continent 56,700 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,493,671 bales; exports to Great Britain 691,271 bales; exports to France 201,052 bales; exports to the Continent 800,961 bales

Nov. 5.—Galveston, quiet at 8⅛c, net receipts 13,109 bales; Norfolk, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 3,307 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, nominal, net receipts 2 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 3,848 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8.75c, net receipts 258 bales; Savannah, easy at 7 13-16c, net receipts 7,935 bales; New Orleans, easy at 7 15 16c, net receipts 17,062 bales; Mobile, easy at 7¾c, net receipts 1,847 bales; Memphis, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 5,485 bales; Augusta, steady at 8c, net receipts 1,820 bales; Charleston, quiet at 7¾c; net receipts 1,031 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Flour was easier; Minnesota patents $3 85@4 10. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 77c. Options closed partly ¼c net higher. Sales included: March closed 79⅝; May closed 77¼c; December closed 78c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 64¾c. Options closed ¼c net higher: January closed 50¾c; February closed 49½c; May closed 46¼c; December closed 55¼c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2, 34c. Options quiet and about steady. Lard steady; Western steam $11 35; November closed $11 35, nominal; refined firm; continent $11 60; South American quoted at $12 00. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5¼c; mild quiet; Cordova 7¾@12c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test 3¾c; confectioner's $4 40; mould A $4 80; cut loaf $5 05; crushed $5 05; powdered $4 55; granulated $4 55; cubes $4 70; refined steady. Potatoes steady; Long Island $2 00@2 12; South Jersey sweets $1 75@2 75; Jerseys $1 75@2 00; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75 @3 00. Butter steady; extra creamery 25c; State dairy 18@24c. Cheese—quoted quiet but firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy old 12¼c; new 12¼c; small white old 12½; new 12¼c. Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 5@5¼; other domestic 3½@5½. Cabbages easy; Long Island per 100 $1 50@2 00. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs irregular; State and Pennsylvania average best 24@25c. Cotton seed oil was quiet but held steadier on firm news from the South and lighter offerings; Prime crude here 30½c, nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 27@28c; prime summer yellow 34c; off summer yellow 33c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime meal $27 00@28 00 nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Wheat was higher to-day at the start, due to wet weather and smaller receipts, and in spite of considerable liquidation the close was firm with December a shade lower. December corn was one cent higher and oats a shade higher. January provisions closed from 12½@15c to 22½c higher.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 70 @71c; No. 3 spring 67½@71c; No. 2 red 70@71c. Corn—No. 2 54c; No. 2 yellow 54@55c. Oats—No. 2 27¾@28c; No. 2 white 30¾@30¾; No. 3 white 28¾@31½c Mess pork, per barrel, $16 75@16 77½. Lard, per lbs., $10 95. Short rib sides, loose, $10 50 @10 75 Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 75@10 00. Short clear side, boxed, $9 75@10 00 Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 70½; December 71¾@71¾, 71¾, 70¾, 70½c; May 73¾@73¾, 73¾, 72¾@73@73½c. Corn—No. 2 November 53¼, December 51@51¾, 51¾, 50¾c; May 41⅞@42½, 42½@42¾, 41½, 42c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 29¾@29¾, 29¾, 29¼, 29¾c; May 31, 31¼, 30⅝, 30¾@31c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 30, 15 50, 15 30, 15 50; May $14 45, 14 60, 14 45, 14 60. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 52½, 10 75, 10 52½, 10 75; December $9 70, 9 82½, 9 70, 9 82½; January $9 20, 9 37½, 9 20, 9 37½; May $8 47½, 8 60, 8 47½, 8 60. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 10, 8 25, 8 10, 8 25; May $7 67½, 7 85, 7 67½, 7 77½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 5.—Cotton: Spot, moderate demand; prices unchanged; American middling 4 60-100d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 8,700 bales American. Receipts none.

Futures opened quiet and closed irregular; American middling (g o c) November 4 42-100d buyer; November and December 4 38-100d buyer; December and January 4 37-100d seller; January and February 4 36-100d seller; February and March 4 35-100d buyer; March and April 4 35-100d buyer; April and May 4 35-100d seller; May and June 4 35-100d buyer; June and July 4 35-100d seller; July and August 4 34-100d buyer.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

British schooner Leonard Parker, 286 tons, Hogan, Bermuda, George Harriss, Son & Co.

CLEARED.

Schr Bessie C Beach, McKague, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Schr City of Baltimore, Tawes, Port-au-Spain, Trinidad, George Harriss, Son & Co.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Schr Bessie C Beach, 265,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co; vessel by George Harriss, Son & Co.

FOREIGN.

TRINIDAD—Schr City of Baltimore, 173,793 feet rough lumber and 151,755 feet dressed lumber, valued at $5,325; cargo by Kidder Lumber Co; vessel by George Harriss, Son & Co.

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List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 6

STEAMSHIPS.

Stag, (Br) 1,302 tons, Robinson, Heide & Co.

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Lobelia, (Br) 1,913 tons, Watson, Heide & Co.

Carl, (Ger) 2,153 tons, Jochimsen, Heide & Co.

Wandby, (Br) 2,580 tons, Finney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Candleshoe, (Br) 2,466 tons, Dugdall, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Leonard Parker, (Br) 286 tons, Hogan, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Josephine, 303 tons, Ayres, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Edward Stewart, 383 tons, Winslow, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Britania, (Br) 263 tons, Nickerson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Thos G Smith, 487 tons, Carson, by master.

Damietta & Joanna, 373 tons, York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Merom, 831 tons, Jamieson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Clara A Donnell, 374 tons, Connor, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Hutitu, (Nor) 637 tons, Eilerhen, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—111 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—1,157 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,646 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 21 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—961 bales cotton, 32 casks spirits turpentine, 85 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—37 bales cotton, 12 barrels rosin, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Compton—25 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine.

Steamer Roamer—94 barrels rosin.

Steamer Black River—12 casks spirits turpentine, 40 barrels tar, 38 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—11 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 34 barrels rosin.

Total—3,948 bales cotton, 80 casks spirits turpentine, 246 barrels rosin, 82 barrels tar, 116 barrels crude turpentine.

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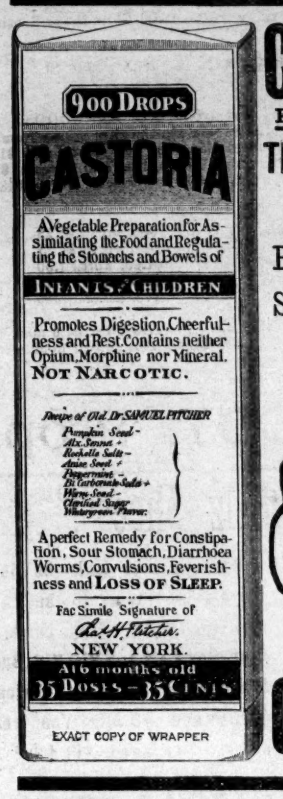
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The Blush.

From the purely artistic point of view the power to blush is one of the most requisite and commendable of physical endowments. Old men are past blushing; very young children, idiots and the lower animals cannot blush; but it appears that some tribes still on the outskirts of barbarism preserve the faculty to an astonishing degree.

The blush is a grace of life, a mark of vitality and of youthfulness. It betokens a great cerebral sensibility seconded by a perfectly sensitive skin. By a sort of instinct for personal defense at the slightest attack—a word or a mere glance—there is a gush of energy. I say energy, and not emotion. The heart beats no faster, but a signal from the brain sends a rush of all the spare blood to the skin, and, owing to the congestion of the small blood vessels, an extraordinary glow spreads over the face to the tips of the ear, to the roots of the hair, to the throat, sometimes even to the top of the bosom.

Darwin saw the back of a young girl blush and declares that in certain circumstances blushing may suffuse the whole body. It is as though the mind were hanging a curtain before the body to assert its right of precedence.—La Claviere, "The Art of Life."

Killing a Baby.

When Frank R. Stockton had planned out his book of Pomona's travels and was about ready to write it, he resided in Philadelphia. He had a business appointment with his dentist, an old friend, one day, when the following incident, told by himself, occurred:

"While in the chair I got to talking with this friend about my new book. I told him I had serious thoughts of killing that baby. He was much interested. We talked over the advisability of doing this, and, while he was not quite convinced, he in the main agreed with me. I had been finished with and, clasping his hand, went into the waiting room on my way out. This waiting room was filled with women.

"As I passed through the door I heard him call, 'Then you have positively decided to kill that baby?' 'Positively,' I replied.

"You should have seen the women stare. It was not until I got well out in the hallway that I realized what they must of course have been thinking."

Milnes' Hospitable Menagerie.

W. Gordon McCabe says that when Monckton Milnes, the poet, aspired to grasp the social literary scepter falling from the withered hands of Rogers he gathered around his breakfast table in Pall Mall men of the most diverse personalities, creeds and tastes. In fact, the chief requirement for securing an invitation to these breakfasts, which soon became the talk of London, seems to have been that the guest must be a lion of some sort. Men of such pronounced differences as Count d'Orsay, the elegant dandy; the rugged Thomas Carlyle, Sydney Smith, the brilliant wit, and Connop Thirlwall, the grave historian, sat there side by side, and had Buffalo Bill burst upon the town in those days Mr. McCabe thinks he, too, would undoubtedly have rubbed elbows in Milnes' hospitable menagerie with Tom Macaulay and Aubrey de Vere.

What a Widow Is.

It was a Sunday school class, and the teacher believed in asking questions to see how clearly the scholars understood their lessons. The widow of Ham was the subject, and the teacher thought she would be quickly answered when she asked, "What is a widow?" There was a silence until she nodded to the small boy at her left and said, "You know what a widow is, don't you?" for she knew the boy's mother was one.

"Yes'm," he answered; "it's a lady what takes in washing."

Enlightening the Minister.

"We are going to have pie for dinner," said Bobby to the minister.

"Indeed!" laughed the clergyman, amused at the little boy's artlessness. "And what kind of pie, Bobby?"

"It's a new kind. Ma was talking this morning about pa bringing you to dinner so often, and pa said he didn't care what she thought, and ma said she'd make him eat humble pie before the day was over, and I suppose we're going to have it for dinner."

She Paid.

"Dollar an' a half fer a marriage license!" exclaimed the colored applicant. Then, turning to the bride to be, "Lindy, does you think I is wuth it?"

"Well," was the reply, "hit do come mighty high, but I reckon I'll hatter pay it. 'long ez I done come heah wid you!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Thanks to the Apple, She's Clothed.

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Lack of Clothing In Uganda.

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Madagascar's Two Climates.

The island of Madagascar has two distinct climates, two classes of natives and two classes of fauna and flora. The island is about the size of France. Along the coast it is tropical and malarious, and the natives are darker than in the interior. The interior is a high tableland and mountainous. There the climate is cooler and the natives smaller and lighter in color than on the coast. But in the interior they are more intelligent, and they rule the island.

Expected a Fight.

A Fifeshire farmer gave his herd laddie, Jamie, a half wit, a ticket to admit him to a sacred recital in a neighboring town, to be given by local talent, and told the lad to be sure to enjoy himself.

The farmer was greatly surprised to find his servant in the kitchen long before the conclusion of the performance, and upon asking him why he had returned from the recital Jamie replied:

"Weel, maister, ae man yonder began to sing, 'I'm the King of Glory,' then anither said he 'was the King of Glory,' and when I saw three ithers standin' up an' sayin' they were 'the Kings of Glory' I kent there was to be a feeht, so I cam awa' an' left them to finish it amon' themsel's."—Dundee Advertiser.

Congress Waters.

United States senators are supplied with bottled mineral waters at government expense. Nearly every committee room has something like a bar attachment. It is usually in one corner, behind a screen and next to the washbowl. The bottles of fizz water are supplied by colored messengers, who bring them in buckets of ice, like champagne. The excuse for the expense is the poor quality of the Potomac water. After a rain it is dark brown in color and impregnated with soil.

The Gift of Tongue.

Tom (inspecting theater bill of "Paolo and Francesca")—I say, 'Arry, ole man, 'ow d'yer pernounce these 'ere nimes?

'Arry (with all the modest condescension of a superior person)—Well, I'm free to admit I ain't much of a French scholiard, but I should say it were pernounced "Polo and Frank Chester." Of course it's a kind o' sportin' piece.

Tom (satisfied)—Ah, I see.—London Punch.

Too Great a Sacrifice.

Impassioned Lover—Tell me, my angel, what to do to prove my love. Oh, that I might, like some knight of old, battle for you, suffer for you, die for you!

Sweet Girl—I wish you would give up smoking.

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TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 4:30 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:20 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.15 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.28 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.49 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 a m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.07 p. m.; Portsmouth 8.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 32, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

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Prepare For Winter.

There are on almost every farm many little things that can be done in the fall months, not only to make the labor of the winter less, but to keep its cold winds out of the buildings, says American Cultivator. Banking up around the foundations, making sure that doors and windows are whole and snug, laying planks or gravel walks where it will be necessary to travel several times a day, through snow or snow water very often—all these are almost equally important with procuring a supply of fuel which should not be neglected, and many other supplies of grain and provisions if kept on hand may save tedious trips to the village through the snowdrifts.

Bonemeal For Pigs.

Bonemeal or wood ashes fed to pigs occasionally are sure to build a larger frame, and make better gains for the feed consumed, says Professor W. A. Henry. Pigs fed bonemeal develop bones about twice as strong as pigs fed on grain alone. A tablespoonful of bonemeal daily for two pigs is enough to have a marked effect.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. — No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.35 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.02 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 2.30 P. M. — No. 42—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.31 A. M., Goldsboro 11.51 P M., Wilson 1.13 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M. Weldon 4.52 P. M., Petersburg 6.45 P M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.36 A. M., Philadelphia 4.56 A M., New York 7.15 A. M., *Boston 3.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M — No. 60—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M., Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.28 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 2.00 P. M

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson ‡

DAILY 7.30 P M — No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M — No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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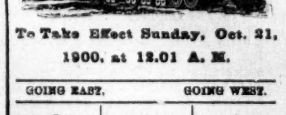

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

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P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 05	7 07	Morehead City	7 23	7 37
P.M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

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Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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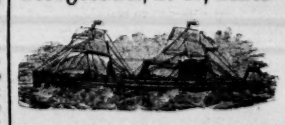

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THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 6.

LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE.

Stockholders Meeting—President's Annual Report—No Mention of Transfer to the A. C. L.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 5.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, which was postponed from October 1, was held here to-day. Aside from receiving and approving the annual report of President Milton H. Smith, no business was transacted, and an adjournment was taken until December 17, in that city. W. R. Belknap, of Louisville, presided, and out of the 600,000 shares of stock 390,409 were represented, principally by proxy.

The report of President Smith, which was read by Secretary Ellis, showed that during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1902, the gross earnings of the road amounted to $30,712,257, while the net earnings were $9,809,815. The operating expenses for the year were $20,902,473. During the year the passenger earnings amounted to $6,217,803 and the freight earnings were $22,772,175. The operating expenses of the passenger service were $5,141,784 and the freight service $15,760,652. On June 30th, 1902, the company was operating 3,444 13 miles of road while it was interested in 1,822 miles of road operated under separate organization and owned 274 miles operated by other companies, making its total mileage 5,541.87. No mention is made of the transfer of the road to the Atlantic Coast Line. The board of directors of the Louisville and Nashville railroad met here today following the meeting of the stockholders.

The annual report of President M. H. Smith was read and adjournment taken to December 17th in Louisville.

THE NEXT CONGRESS.

House of Representatives Will Be Controlled By the Republicans and Fusionists By a Small Majority.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The latest returns received up to 10 o'clock tonight show that the Republicans, including in this description the Fusionists elected from the Pittsburg-Allegheny districts in Pennsylvania, will control the next House by a vote of 204 Republicans to 179 Democrats, with three districts—the Eighth Tennessee and two California districts—remaining so much in doubt that the official returns will be needed to decide it. The totals given are believed to be correct, although there are a few districts, such as two in Colorado and one in Minnesota where the Republican and Democratic party managers respectively do not concede defeat, but the general result could not be affected even should their claims prove well founded.

Representative Griggs, the chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, is hopeful that the later returns from doubtful districts will increase by at least half a dozen members, the number of Democrats in the next Congress now conceded to them by the Republicans. Reports received by him from various sources lead him to believe that the total Democratic representation in the 58th Congress will number 186 members.

THE COTTON CROP.

Sixty Per Cent Had Been Ginned Up to the 18th of October.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—A report issued by the census bureau to-day places the quantity of the present crop of cotton which has been ginned up to the 18th of October at 5,925,872 commercial bales, which is estimated to be a little more than sixty per cent. of the entire crop. These figures were collected by the agents of the bureau; 29,314 ginneries are represented by the returns. The following figures represent the amount ginned in each State, by bales: Alabama, 585,783; Arkansas, 360,800; Florida, 29,779; Georgia, 906,949; Indian Territory, 201,019; Kentucky, 284; Louisiana, 369,408; Mississippi, 559,126; Missouri, 14,963; North Carolina, 303,029; Oklahoma, 84,699; South Carolina, 601,431; Tennessee, 121,180. Texas, 1,781,797; Virginia, 5,625.

FAILURE IN RICHMOND

Leon L. Strause, Leaf Tobacco Dealer—Liabilities $300,590.95.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 5.—Leon L. Strause, a large tobacco dealer of this city, filed a voluntary petition of bankruptcy in the United States District Court. His liabilities are scheduled at $300,599.95, and his assets at $455,545.90. This is the largest failure that has occurred in Richmond since the national bankruptcy law went into effect in 1898. Among the unsecured out-of-town creditors are Goldman Sachs & Co., of New York, for $35,000, and J. R. Kyle & Co., of Lynchburg, Va., for $3,212.24.

DEATH OF H. W. FRIES.

One of the Most Prominent Business Men in the State of North Carolina.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 5.—Henry William Fries, one of the most prominent business men in the State died at his home in Salem yesterday, aged 77 years. He had served as director of the North Carolina railroad, the Wachovia Loan and Trust Company, and the Fries Manufacturing and Power Company. He leaves an estate valued at $1,000,000.

A Runaway Bicycle,

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn Ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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WILL NOT CONCEDE ODELL'S ELECTION.

Democrats Contend That Fraud Robbed Coler of Many Votes Up the State.

WILL WAIT OFFICIAL COUNT.

Democratic State Committee of New York to Decide Upon Plan of Action—Rumored That Coler Will Make a Contest in the Courts

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Although the unofficial reports from the State apparently showed Odell's re-election by 10,798 plurality. Mr. Coler, his Democratic opponent, refused to-day to concede defeat, declaring that he wished to wait for the official count of the vote. Mr. Coler's statement was followed by a rather sensational announcement from Secretary Mason, of the State Democratic Committee, that he refused to concede Odell's election; that fraud had robbed Coler of many votes up the State and, that Senator Hill and Chairman Campbell of the State committee would come to New York this evening to decide on a plan of action. About the time these statements appeared a rumor was circulated that Coler intended to make a contest in the courts, and simultaneously the *Evening Journal* issued an extra edition, declaring that former Senator Hill, Charles F. Murphy and Hugh McLaughlin claimed Coler's election. This report, together with the statements made by Mr. Coler and Secretary Mason, caused considerable excitement in this city.

Mr. Coler's Statement.

"I think personally it would be a good thing to watch the official count of the State closely. Why don't they distribute McCullough men up there as well as here in Greater New York? Suppose the Democratic ticket had received say in the neighborhood of 150,000 majority in Greater New York, there was nothing to have stopped the Republicans from claiming the upper section of the State by at least 200,000 majority. What the Democratic party needs up the State is tried and true material who will look carefully after the party's interests. I don't mean by anything I have said either last night or this morning that I in any manner concede the election of my opponent. I want to wait for the official count, for my latest advices are that the vote is very close. I am hopeful of receiving to-day news that will put a new complexion on affairs in this State."

John A. Mason, secretary of the Democratic State committee, speaking for the committee, issued the following statement:

"We Concede Nothing."

"Odell's election is simply a claim. We will not admit his election until every defective ballot or alleged defective ballot has been scrutinized and every vote that of right belongs to our party is counted. The alleged defective ballots uncounted for the Democratic ticket by Republican inspectors are more than enough to elect Coler. We have evidence of wholesale debauchery and corruption in Orange, Oneida, Albany and Erie counties, and in the cities along the line of the New York Central railroad.

"The defective ballots and the chicanery practiced in the three judicial districts where the Republican State machine bent every energy to elect Attorney General Davies, is alone sufficient to change the result.

"We shall contest every foot of ground."

David B. Hill and Frank Campbell will be at the State headquarters this evening, and a meeting of the State committee will be held either this evening or to-morrow, and a plan of action will be formulated.

Col. Dunn, the chairman of the State Republican committee, when informed to-day of the report that the Democrats threatened to contest the election said:

"If they start anything of that kind we will give them all the contest they want right here in New York county, and they will wish they had never heard of contests."

The revised figures for Governor are as follows: Odell, 133,836; Coler, 132,038. Odell's plurality 10,798.

Official Returns.

Official returns on the vote for Governor vary little from the unofficial reports. According to returns made to the executive at Albany by the several county clerks, the plurality for Odell, Republican, is 12,887. Only three counties above the Bronx were carried by the Democratic nominee, the aggregate plurality for Coler in these counties being 1,011. This and the Greater New York plurality of 122,074 given to Coler was met and overcome by an up-State Republican plurality of 135,972, the difference being a net plurality of 12,887 against 111,126 plurality for Odell in 1900. Returns of the vote for other State officers are so meagre that it is impossible to say if the Democrats have been more successful as regards the minor offices as in the case of Governor. In some quarters it is asserted that by reason of his endorsement by the Prohibitionists, Cunneen, the Democratic nominee for attorney general, has made such gains over the head of the ticket that he has been elected. There also are claims that when the returns for judge of the court of appeals are all in it will be found that Judge Gray has defeated his Republican opponent.

The State Legislature is controlled by the Republicans by a reduced majority, but one so large as to admit of no doubt of the return of Mr. Platt to the United States Senate.

The New York delegation in the lower house of the 58th Congress will number thirty-seven instead of thirty-four as in the present Congress. It will contain twenty Republicans and seventeen Democrats, whereas the present delegation stood 22 Republicans and 13 Democrats. All of the more noted members of the delegation have been returned, including Sereno E. Payne, chairman of the ways and means committee.

Odell's Statement.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Governor Odell telephoned the following from Newburg concerning the statement of Secretary Mason of the Democratic State committee:

"Let them claim all they please; let them cry fraud. I am elected and that is all there is about it."

William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the executive committee of the Republican State committee, said here: "Any statement that Albany county was purchased by the Republicans is without foundation."

Former Senator Hill refused positively to be quoted about the result of the election.

The State board of canvassers that compiles the returns consists of the secretary of state, the comptroller, attorney general, State treasurer and State engineer, all Republicans, and to them belongs the right to reject or accept any returns objected to by individuals or parties.

VICTIMS OF BOMB EXPLOSION.

Twelve Persons Were Killed and About Eighty Others Were Injured in Madison Square Tuesday Evening

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The revised lists to-day of the dead and injured victims of the explosion of fireworks in Madison Square last evening show that twelve persons were killed and about eighty wounded. Several of these were probably fatally hurt and many others are to-day in a serious condition.

Coroner Scholer said it was a case of criminal neglect. The coroner held John Craig in $10,000 on a charge of manslaughter in the first degree. Mr. Craig, it is alleged, was in charge of the explosives at the time of the accident. The boys, who were carrying boxes of explosives, were sent to the house of detention by the coroner as witnesses. All the rest of the prisoners were discharged.

The coroner said there were seven bombs. An attempt to shoot off the first failed, he said, but it detonated and thus caused the explosion of the other bombs. Craig said the first bomb was properly exploded, and he thought an explosion of gases must have caused the accident. There were ten bombs and four mortars weighing 150 pounds each he said. Seven legs of victims of the fireworks explosion were amputated at Bellevue hospital to-day. Besides the amputations there were dozens of minor operations on hands and feet and for burns. Many of the patients underwent several operations and some lost both hands.

CASE OF ALAN G. MASON

Prisoner Held for Further Hearing on the Charge of Murder

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Nov. 5.—Alan G. Mason, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of having committed an assault upon Miss Clara A. Morton in Waverly last night, causing Miss Morton's death, to-day was held for further hearing on the charge of murder in the third district court for Eastern Middlesex. It was understood last night to be the intention of the police to release the man to-day, as they had been unable to make out a case against him. But it is claimed that new phases brought to light this morning warranted a change in procedure. Mason was remanded without bail.

FIFTEEN PEOPLE INJURED.

Train Wreck Near Newark, N. J.—Mrs. Carrie Nation Slightly Hurt

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Black Diamond express, of the Lehigh Valley railroad, which left Jersey City, westward bound, at 12:12 P. M. today, was wrecked near the Jersey Meadows shops, east of Newark today and fifteen people were more or less seriously hurt, one coach and the engine being overturned. One of the passengers hurt was Mrs. Carrie Nation, of Kansas. Her hand was slightly cut and her arm badly bruised.

HOMICIDE NEAR ASHEVILLE.

Sylvester Black Killed in an Election Row With a Man Named Young.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 5.—A special to the *News and Observer* from Asheville says:

An election quarrel on Upper Hominy yesterday afternoon resulted in the death of Sylvester Black. The difficulty took place in the road only a short distance from the voting place. Black attacked a man named Young with a pocket knife. Young responded by almost disembowelling his assailant. Young was brought to Asheville and is in jail.

WARM WIRELETS.

Returns from Idaho show the election of the entire Republican State and Congressional ticket.

It is conceded that the Fusion party in Nevada has elected Sparks for Governor, Van Dusen for Congress and the entire Legislature.

The Democrats succeeded at Tuesday's election in electing one Congressman in the State of Iowa for the first time in eight years.

Complete returns show that Maryland's representation in the next House will be four Republicans and two Democrats, a gain of two seats for the Democrats.

Charles Campbell, a young white man, was killed by a North Carolinian at Fish Springs, in Eastern Tennessee, as a result of a fight with Campbell, who is said to have been intoxicated.

The Republican victory in Kansas was complete. A good majority of the Legislature, all of the State officials and a large part of the county officers were elected by the Republicans.

Returns from New Jersey show Democratic gains, but the Republicans elected seven of the ten congressmen and retain control of both branches of the Legislature, although by reduced majorities.

The will of the late Frances Asbury Palmer, formerly president of the National Broadway Bank, was filed for probate yesterday. It values the real property at $800,000 and the personal at $150,000. The will gives to Elon College, of North Carolina, $30,000.

Practically the entire town of Calhoun Falls, in Abbeville county, at the crossing of the Seaboard Air Line and Charleston & Western Carolina railroads, was sold at auction yesterday to Judge W. F. Cox, of Anderson, for $14,000—700 acres at the rate of $20 an acre.

McSwiney's Gun.

Near Horn Head, County Donegal, Ireland, there is a hole in the rocks called McSwiney's gun. It is on the seacoast and is said to have connection with a cavern. When the north wind blows and the sea is at half flood, the wind and the waves enter the cavern and send up jets of water from the "gun" to a height of more than 100 feet. The jets of water are accompanied by explosions which may be heard for miles.

The Rapid Moving Fly.

The rapidity with which insects travel is astonishing. The common house fly makes 600 strokes per second when in the act of ordinary flight, that number of strokes causing an advance movement of twenty-five feet. Our best naturalists say that this can be increased sevenfold.

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FOUND DEAD IN PREACHER'S STUDY.

Pastor of the German Baptist Church in Omaha and His Female Assistant.

THOUGHT TO BE ACCIDENTAL.

Bodies Lying on the Floor, the Woman's Head Pillowed on Cushions—Room Filled With Gas—Believed the Pair Had Fallen Asleep.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

OMAHA, NEB., Nov. 5.—Clasped in each other's arms, lying on the floor of the pastor's study of the German Baptist church here early to-day, Oscar Barndes, janitor of the church, discovered the dead bodies of Rev. W. C. Rabe, pastor, and Augusta Busch, a missionary and assistant of the pastor. Death had been caused by asphyxiation. The room was filled with gas, a jet and a burner of a small stove being partly turned on.

The bodies were lying on the floor, the woman's head being pillowed on some cushions. They evidently had lain in that position for several hours. There seems to be little doubt that the deaths were accidental.

It is believed that the pair had fallen asleep, the stove flame blew out, and the gas escaped. The bodies were rigid and death evidently occurred during the hours of the previous evening. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

Miss Busch roomed at the home of Janitor Berndes, and Mr. Rabe at the house of Harry Dirkson. Miss Busch went to the Dirkson home yesterday morning and remained there until 9 o'clock in the evening, engaged in sewing. She left for her home alone and it is thought probable that she met Mr. Rabe on her way and that the two went to his study in the rear of the church where the tragedy occurred. They had been good friends, but no stronger feeling was apparent to those who knew them. Mrs. Berndes supposed the woman was in her room until Miss Schalkan, housekeeper for Rabe, reported that he had not been at home during the night. Then it was discovered that Miss Busch had not occupied her room and a search was made for them this morning. The janitor went to the pastor's study and found the door locked and the key on the inside, and he detected the escaping gas. Quickly he summoned a police officer and the door was broken open. In the center of the very small study the bodies lay, the heads a few feet from the doors. The woman's face was covered with froth and had begun to turn purple. One gas jet above the pastor's table was partly turned off, and from a stove gas was slowly escaping.

It was thought at first the two had committed suicide, for on the table was an open letter, a neatly arranged bouquet, Mr. Rabe's watch and glasses and his hat, Miss Busch's gloves and handkerchief, and neatly folded upon the back of a chair was her jacket. The letter was written in German and when translated was found to be an answer to another letter which Mr. Rabe had received. There was nothing in it to indicate that the two had intended taking their lives.

Mr. Rabe was fifty-four years of age, and came to Omaha from Buffalo, N. Y., when he was chosen pastor of the German Baptist church. In that State he left a wife, who is attending a missionary school, and one son, Carl W. He was held in high esteem by his congregation.

Miss Busch was thirty-one years old, and had been a missionary in Omaha for the last five years. She came here from Chicago, sent by the church missionary school. She, too, was held in high esteem and was very popular.

Babies and Monkeys.

A frequent action with babies is to turn the soles of the feet sideways, opposite to one another, while the legs remain straight. Just this attitude would be assumed by a monkey when climbing a tree or walking on a branch in order to grasp the stem with its hind legs.

The inherited effects of thus grasping tree trunks or limbs with the hind hands are often very marked in young babies. The bow legs, which are a feature of infancy and a matter of some anxiety to mothers, are no more than the relics of the tree climbing stage, and the mother need not be frightened about this character; any normally healthy baby will grow out of it soon enough.

Then, if a young baby be held so that its feet touch the ground, one may see that the feet are not put flat to the surface. Instead, the outer portions of the feet rest on the ground, while the soles of the feet are more or less opposed to one another; they have the bough grasping attitude.—Pearson's Magazine.

Forethought.

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The undersigned having qualified as Executors of the last will and testament of C. E. Dorothea Hariem, late of the county of New Hanover, deceased, hereby notify all who are indebted to the estate of their Testatrix, to make early payment, and all having claims against said estate to present the same, duly authenticated, either to the undersigned, or to their attorneys, Bellamy & Bellamy, at their offices in the City of Wilmington, on or before the 25th day of October, 1903, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This the 21st day of October, 1902.

ELIZABETH VOLLERS,
C. B. BELLOIS,
Executors of the last will and testament of C. E. Dorothea Hariem.
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State Conference County School Superintendents, Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 12th-14th. Dates of sales, Nov. 10th, 11th and 12th. Final limit Nov. 17th. Rate, $6.55

American Federation of Labor, New Orleans, La., Nov. 13th 22nd. Dates of sale Nov. 11th and 12th. Final limit Nov. 24th. Rate, $25.00.

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United Daughters of the Confederacy, New Orleans, La., November 12th to 15th. Dates of sale November 8th, 9th and 10th. Final Limit, ten days in addition to date of sale, $25 00

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
October 9th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors, and will be held at the office of said company in the City of Richmond, Virginia, on Monday, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the present capital stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company to the amount of fifteen million dollars, to consist of one hundred and fifty thousand shares of the common stock, each of the par value of one hundred dollars, the same to be in addition to the capital stock already issued and outstanding; and for the purpose, also, of voting upon a proposition to increase the bonded indebtedness of the company by the issue of thirty-five millions of dollars in collateral trust purchase money fifty year four per cent. gold bonds; such additional stock and bonds to be applied and used, as far as may be necessary, to and towards the payment of the purchase price of three hundred and six thousand shares of the capital stock of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, which, under the terms of the purchase thereof, is to be pledged as collateral security for the payment of said bonds.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JAS. F. POST,
oct 17 1m Secretary.

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